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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the present application, please consider the following.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

The specification has been rewritten as follows:

On pages 2-3, the Brief Description of the Invention section has been rewritten as follows:

In a broad aspect of the invention, a motor control circuit for a direct current electric motor having a pair of direct current inputs supplied respectively from negative and positive current sources wherein the motor is actuated to turn a shaft in one of two directions dependant on which polarity of current is being provided to the motor, the